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Clippings from Late Files of English Papers.

The *Money Market Review*, a newspaper of some influence in commercial circles, states as a positive fact that the proprietors of the *Times* have purchased their great penny rival the *Daily Telegraph*. This report is to be received with a grain of salt.

A challenge made by Crockett, the Lion Tamer, at the Cirque Napoleon, to pay £500 to any one bold enough to enter the cage with his six lions, has been accepted by a person named Herbert, formerly a collector of wild beasts, who has been for some years past living retired at Havre.

Lady Westbury, the wife of the Lord Chancellor, died on the 18th of March.

A new version of Miss Braddon's popular novel of "Aurora Floyd', was brought out on the 18th of April, at the Adelphi Theatre with complete success.

The Princess Dagmar, who was so much admired during the procession and at the marriage, derives her baptismal name from a Danish ancestress as illustrious as is one Alfred the Great. Dagmar is the Danish for "beautiful." Queen Margaret of Denmark, who reigned about the time of the Carnetes, first received the appellation "Dagmar," from her great personal attractions. Hence the Dagmar Cross, which has become an institution in Denmark almost equivolent to our Order of the Garter.

Sir Charles Wood has conceded the appointment of a Royal Commission to inquire into the grievances of the officers of the Indian army. Lords Ellenborough and Dalhousie, and Lord Hotham and Mr. Henley will probably be nominated Commissioners. A committee of officers is to be appointed to watch the proceedings of the Commissioners.

The Princess Augusta of Saxony, daughter of the late King Frederick Augustus, has just died at Dresden at the age of 81. The Princess had never been married.

Mr. Gost, Tax Receiver, residing at Londinières (Seine-Intériure) has, during the last season, been amusing himself with a field sport, which, says *Galignani*, would fill English sportsmen with indignation—the destruction of foxes by means of terriers. A few days since he killed six old foxes, two males and four females, with their cubs, making together 24, and which number, added to the results of previous sports, make 68 destroyed.

The total amount received by the Mansion House Lancashire Relief Fund is £456,313, of which £347,533 has been remitted to the distressed districts. The amount granted during the past week (March 19th) was £9,705. The sum of £133 5s. 7d. has been subscribed to the fund by British subjects in Morocco.

Colonel Wilson Patten will, it is stated, be raised to the Peerage under the title of Baron Winmarleigh.

In the Civil Service Estimates for the year ending March 31, 1864, there is a diminution of £8244 in the vote for superannuations and retired allowances, and of £3000 in the vote for merchant seamen's fund pensions.

A combined effort is now making by the leading London houses interested in the tea trade, to obtain petitions from the principal towns asking for a reduction in the duty on tea, from 1s. 5d. to 1s. per lb.

A new style of uniform for the Royal Navy has been submitted to Her Majesty.

Complaints are made that neither the Royal Navy nor the House of Commons were fully represented at the Royal wedding.

A French edition of Queen Victoria's work "Meditations on Death and Eternity," translated by her Majesty's permission, by M. Ch. Bernard Derosne, has been published in Paris.

The Government had not given their decision respecting the West India mail contract, although the new tenders were sent in on the 2d of February.

Lord Palmerston was to visit Glasgow on the 30th March, for the purpose of being installed as Lord Rector of the University, in St. John's Parish church. Grand preparations were making to do honor to the noble Prince.

The *Derry Sentinel* announces the death of Charles McCullagh, a native of Lettermacaward, county Donegal, at the age of 103 years. Deceased had his senses perfect to the last.

"The first phase in the duel," says the *Army and Navy Gazette*, "between those two great competitors, Sir William Armstrong and Mr. Whitworth, in the manufacture of big guns, is to come off at Shoeburyness in about three weeks. The guns to be fired on this occasion will be the 12-pounders and 70-pounders.

The present system of repairing ships in the graving docks led to an interesting discussion at the weekly meeting of the Mersey Dock Board. Mr. Boult and Mr. Fernie, both extensive ship owners, complained that the present system of using blocks in the graving docks in place of cradles frequently bulged in the ship's planking and loosened the caulking. The result was that ships, apparently thoroughly repaired, were often more leaky after leaving a graving dock than before entering it.

In a speech in the House of Commons on March 13, Mr. Stirling described the Emperor of the French as the sub-editor of the French press, responsible to no one but the Emperor, who was himself in reality the editor-in-chief. The French press, he said, was merely a machine with a hundred mouths, through which the Emperor addressed the world.

It is stated that Mr. Haworth, of Kensington, has discovered a mode of telegraphing without wires, and that he has tried the experiment between Brighton and London, and between London and Limerick. This discovery—very wonderful if true—is protected by a patent.

M. Flatou has purchased the copywright of Mr. Frith's picture of the Royal marriage for the unprecedented sum of 5,000 guineas.

The suspension has been announced of Messrs. Pilkington, Brothers, American merchants and shipbrokers, of Fenchurch street, London, and Water Lane, Liverpool, with liabilities for about £50,000. The liquidation will depend on the receipt of remittances from abroad, and its nature, therefore, must be considered doubtful.

At a meeting of the creditors of Messrs. Janvrin, Grassie and De Lisle, who failed with liabilities for about £90,000, in December last, it was resolved, after a long discussion, to place the estate in bankruptcy.

Mr. John Gully, the well-known sportsman and pugilist, died at Durham on the 9th March, in the 80th year of his age.

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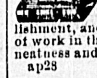

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Signed, JOHN TOD,
Chairman of the Board of Road Commissioners.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKS.

LAND AND WORKS OFFICE, 11th May, 1863.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED till the 23rd inst., for cutting the new bridle path from George Cook's to Grant's Mill at Sooke. Specifications to be seen at the above office.

m12 td B. W. PEARSE.

NOTICE!

VANCOUVER ISLAND, Treasury, May 2nd, 1863.

PERSONS in arrear of the Real Estate (one per cent) Assessments for the years 1860-1 and 1861-2, are hereby notified that payment will be received at the Treasury until the 22nd inst., after which, all property, upon which the Tax remains unpaid, will be sold at Auction by the Sheriff.

By order of the Governor,
ALEXANDER WATSON, Treasurer.

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THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1862.

DANIEL CLEAL AND ROBERT HASTIE of Victoria, Restaurant Keepers, having been adjudged bankrupts under a petition for adjudication of bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of Vancouver Island, on the 26th day of February A. D., 1863. A public sitting for the said Bankrupts to pass their last examinations and make applications for their discharge, will be held before David Cameron, Esq, C J., on Wednesday, the twenty seventh day of May instant, at the Court House, James' Bay, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the day limited for the said Bankrupts to surrender.

Mr. George Pearkes of Government street, Victoria, Solicitor for Bankrupts.

THOS. G. WILLIAMS, Registrar.

The first meeting of the creditors has been duly held in said bankruptcy, and at the public sittings above mentioned, proofs of debts of creditors who have not proved will be received, and the said Bankrupts will be required to surrender themselves to be examined, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of all their estate and effects and to finish their examination.

THOS. G. WILLIAMS, Registrar.

Dated 11th May, 1863. m12 td

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1862.

ABNER HUNT FRANCIS, OF VICTORIA, Trader, having been adjudged a bankrupt under a petition for adjudication of bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of Vancouver Island, on the 19th day of May, A.D., 1862. A public sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination and make application for his discharge, will be held, before David Cameron, Esq., C J., on Wednesday the 27th day of May, instant, at the Court House, James Bay, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely—the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said Bankrupt to surrender.

Mr. Willia Culverwell of Yates street, Victoria, is the Official Assignee, and Mr George Edgar Dennes of Government street, Victoria, the Solicitor in bankruptcy.

THOS. G. WILLIAMS, Registrar

The first meeting of the creditors has been duly held in said bankruptcy, and at the public sittings above mentioned, proofs of debts of creditors who have not proved will be received, and the said bankrupt will be required to surrender himself to be examined, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of all his estate and effects and to finish his examination.

THOS. G. WILLIAMS, Registrar.

Dated 8th May, 1863. n 9 wtd

PROCLAMATION.

Vancouver Island.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 8th August, 1862.

THE GOVERNOR, WITH THE ADvice of the Council, directs it to be notified:

That, to any person or persons who shall first discever a profitable Gold Field within the Colony of Vancouver Island, and make known and describe to the Colonial Government the site and limits of the tract of land comprised in his or their discovery, there shall be paid the sum of One Thousand Pounds sterling (£1000), provided the monies received for Licenses issued for working the said tract of land be equal to that amount; and provided always that there shall have been proved to the satisfaction of the local Government, that there has been BONA FIDE raised and produced from the said tract or field, within Six Months of the issue of the said Licenses, an amount of Gold equal in value to not less than Ten Thousand Pounds (£10,000).

By His Excellency's Command.
WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

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Municipal Notice.

ALL PERSONS USING ANY OF THE Professions, Trades, or Occupations, speciall named in Section 2 of the City By-Law, passed on the 30th March, 1863, are requested to call at the Assessor's Office, Broad street, and take out a Licence in conformity therewith.

All persons liable to pay a License of one-eighth of one per cent. in accordance with Section 6 of the City By-Law, passed 30 March, 1863, are requested to make returns to the City Assessor, Broad street, on or before the fifth of April, 1863.

WILLIAM LEIGH, City Assessor.

EXCERPT FROM CITY BY-LAW, SEC. 24.

"Every person bound to make a return under this Act, and failing so to do, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding the sum of one hundred dollars.

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Municipal Notice.

THAT, WHEREAS, IT IS BELIEVED that during the past week incendiaries have attempted several times to set fire to the City, the Mayor and Council of the City of Victoria, V. I., hereby give notice that a Reward of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($250), is hereby offered by the City for such information as will lead to the detection and conviction of the incendiaries.

City Council Chambers, Broad street, Victoria April 21st, 1863. ap22 1m

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Lillooet, May 1, 1863.
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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

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JAMES D. WALKER, Manager.

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NOTICE.

BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.

DRAFTS ON SAN FRANCISCO WILL be issued by this Bank at par until further notice.

J. G. SHEPHERD, Manager.

Victoria, 9th May. m9 tf

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY BILLS against steamer Emily Harris up to date, will please send them in to the office of Mr. Thos. Harris, Wharf street, without delay for settlement.

Victoria, 18th May, 1863. m18 1w

NOTICE.

EUSTACE PATTISION.—Information from a companion of Eustace Pattison, who died at Fort George on the 8th of September last, as to his journey from Fort Edmonton, will be thankfully received by his sorrowing parents Dr Stevenson's letter was received. Address Mr. Pattison, 1 Clements Lane, Lombard street, London.

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NOTICE.

IN THE ESTATE OF I. N. JEFFERIES deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons having accounts against the above estate, to present them to Dr. Powell for settlement, on or before the 1st day of June next. And all parties indebted to the said estate, or in possession of monies, goods, &c., belonging thereunto, are requested to make it known, and deliver the same to either of the undersigned Executors.

J. W. POWELL,
R. J. DUNDAS, } Executors.
THOS. L. FAWCETT.

Victoria, V. I., May 13th, 1863. m14 td

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY APPOINTED SAMUEL GOLDSTONE (late Sporborg & Goldstone,) my Agent in Vancouver Island and British Columbia for the sale of the celebrated Chas. Farre Champagne, and also for all Wines, Cognacs, &c. imported by me from France.

J. VAILLANT.

Victoria, V. I., Sept. 11, 1862.

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NOTICE.

TO THOSE WHO ARE WANTING HOMESTEADS, the undersigned is now ready to Lease building lots in Victoria, west, for a number of years, at a rental of from $2½ per month and upwards, according to size and situation.

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Apply to J. NAGLE,
m11 tf Office near the Police Barracks.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of Kersey and Whear, are requested to send the same in to Mr. Drake, at whose office the deed of assignment for benefit of creditors is lying for execution.

Government street, Victoria. m8 tf

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE PUBLIC NOTICE that by articles of Partnership entered int between myself of the one part, and William Selleck, also of Esquimalt, of the other part, of date the 12th day of February, 1862, it was declared that the copartnership of "Williams and Selleck," thereby created, should last for the period of five years from the last mentioned date—and also that the firm should enjoy the premises in Esquimalt Town called the "Steamboat Exchange," and the ground on which the same is situate, for the period or duration of the copartnership All parties are therefore cautioned, not to lease the said property from the Attorney in fact of thesaid William Selleck, except under burden of the above period of demise.

FREDERICK WILLIAMS.

Victoria, V. I., 4th May, 1863. m5 lt

$10 Reward

STOLEN FROM SIDE OF MY STORE, on Monday night or Tuesday morning, 1 CRATE containing Straw, etc. The above reward will be paid to any one on conviction of thief.

DANIEL SCOTT, Auctioneer.

City Auction Rooms, Fort street near Wharf.
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NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I will not be answerable for any debts contracted by my wife Flora, she being, unfortunately, in a state of mental aberration.

JAMES TOD,
Spring Farm, Cedar Hill, Vic. Dis., Ap'l 21, 1863.
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Notice.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUtioned against purchasing Section No. 3, Victoria District, known as the Twin Oak Farm, as John James Cochrane has a Mortgage on the same, dated the 12th day of November, A. D., 1861, for the sum of $1,000, with interest thereon, at one and a half per cent. per month, made by George Tomline Gordon, and which said Mortgage has not yet been satisfied.

Dated this 14th day of April, A. D., 1863.

GEORGE PEARKES,
Solicitor, Government St., Victoria.

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LOST.

A POCKET BOOK, CONTAINING A Cheque on the British Columbia Bank, (which has been stopped) and some Papers, of no value to any one but the owner, supposed to be between Langford Lake and the 21st mile post, on the Victoria and Cowichan trail. Whoever will bring it to the Cowichan Hotel, Cowichan, will be rewarded for their trouble. ap9

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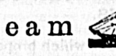
Steam  Packet

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Victoria, V. I., Jan 17, 1862 ap20-1m

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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Tuesday Morning, May 19, 1863.

TO ADVERTISERS.

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TRADE WITH THE RUSSIAN POSSESSIONS.

Among the many functions which properly belong to the Chamber of Commerce there are few or none more important or likely to make a commercial emporium than that of opening new channels of trade. However well we may be situated naturally for successfully carrying on commercial enterprises, and whatever may be the advantage we derive from our free-port system in enabling us to compete with older and better established depots, it is only by a well-directed course of action that we will obtain the position we are entitled to. We have to compete on this coast with no feeble rivals. The people of San Francisco are not those who sleep whilst work is to be done. Wherever trade is to be driven they are in the field. In Mexico, Polynesia, China, Japan, Russian Asia, and Russian America, their ships are to be found snatching the reward from the Atlantic fleets of both the old and new world. We repeat then, it is only by active exertion on the part of those who have the care of our commercial interests in hand, that we shall be able to obtain a fair share at least of the trade of the North Pacific. Geographically we are better situated for some portion of it than any other country. More especially must this be the case with regard to the Russian possessions in America and north-eastern Asia. Both of those countries are much nearer to us than to any other depot of manufactured goods. We can supply them with European importations at as cheap if not cheaper than they are likely to obtain them from other Pacific ports, and can receive and deliver orders in much shorter time. These are advantages which ought to gain for us a larger share of the trade of those countries than at present falls to our lot. Take the case of Sitka for instance, which may be said to be the head-quarters of Russian trade on the north coast, would it not be possible for our Chamber of Commerce to ascertain the possibility of doing a much larger business than at present exists between here and there.

Looking over the San Francisco trade reports for last year, we find under the head of tonnage movement, that the number of clearances for the Russian Possessions, Northwest Coast, amounted to thirteen vessels of 4,763 tons, or more than four sevenths of the tonnage from San Francisco to the Sandwich Islands. The arrivals during the same period were thirteen vessels, of 5,747 tons, or more than one half of the arrivals from France. All this too is exclusive of whalers. The whole amount of the trade may not appear to be very great, but still it is capable of increase, and is well worth looking after, as likely to lead to business with the North eastern coast of Asia. We are aware that some commerce is already carried on between Victoria and Russian America in the way of her trade, but we are inclined to think that with a little more exertion in pushing business in that direction, a large general trade could be done, and we are put in the position to do it. The distance between New Archangel and our possessions on Queen Charlottes Island and the Stekin River is but a mere step. The whole voyage, in fact, is one just suited for our large coasters. Could a large connection be established from this port in that direction, it would tend admirably to develop our shipbuilding as an incident to the trade. The matter is well worth looking after, and we hope the mercantile portion of the community will make it their business to see what can be done.

BRITISH COLUMBIA SUMMARY.

The news we now continue to receive from British Columbia by every arrival from the upper country, is of the most gratifying character. Not only is this the case because it speaks most favorably of the yield of our mines, but because of the signs of real and substantial progress, in other respects, every day seems to bring forth. In this respect, the contrast between now and this time twelve months is most striking. It is true, we have not this year to chronicle the enormous rush of gold-seekers to the mines that characterized last year. On the contrary, the number is far more moderate, but it has this advantage, that what is lacking in quantity is made up in efficiency. Though the number of men in the mines this season is not more than half what it was at the same period last year, there has already been vastly more accomplished in the way of opening up claims and the increased production of the precious metal. Those who are there now have to complain neither of the want of employment at good wages, nor of the same high price of provisions that has hitherto militated against the efficient prospecting of the country. Along the whole road a general cheapening of food for man and beast is apparent. To give an idea of this we may instance the case of Lillooet. In this place, in the month of June last year, flour was selling at $25 per hundred; in the beginning of May, this year, it can be bought for $11 50, with the prospect, too, of being yet cheaper. Now, we believe this is likely to be the case henceforth.

The construction of the wagon road, even so far as it has been finished, has been productive of the most beneficial effects in reducing the price of freight, and giving increased facilities for transporting it in large quantities. By the latter end of July it will be completed to Soda Creek on the Fraser, not many miles below Fort Alexandria. From this point the steamer Enterprise, launched a short time ago, carries freight and passengers to the mouth of the Quesnelle, saving sixty-five miles of land travel. To complete the chain of communication, Captain Grant is by this time engaged upon the work of cutting the road from Quesnelle into the heart of the mines. Such being the case, we do not wonder at the tendency of provisions to depreciate instead of rising up to famine prices, as was the case last year. The great number of horses coming in from Oregon will also contribute to keep down freight of every description. The fact, however, of a great quantity of land being sown this year along the whole line of road must not be lost sight of among the influences at work in British Columbia in preparing the country for an extraordinary development of its mining interests. Low freights and cheap provisions are all it wants, and both can be little longer delayed. Then we may expect California and Australia repeated in earnest. Then we may expect to have worked not only the alluvial diggings with their thousand of sturdy arms upturning the hidden treasure, but also the enormously rich veins of gold and silver by which the Bald Mountains of Cariboo are permeated. This may seem to some an over sanguine view of the case, but less than two years will prove the truth of it to the letter.

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Martell Brandy, in bulk and case,
Hennessy's do., do. do.
Jamaica Rum, do. do.
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Port Wine, do. do.
Scotch & Irish Whisky, do. do.
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Swaine, Boord & Co.'s Old Tom, in bulk and case,
Crates, 1 gallon kegs,
Burton Ale, continually on draught,
Cases Byass' bottled Ale & Porter.
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m19 1w J. B. LONG.

Office Queen Charlotte Mining Company (Limited),

VICTORIA, May 18th, 1863.

A GENERAL MEETING OF THE Company will be held on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock. Members will please be punctual. By order,
ROBERT GEORGE, Secretary.
m19 td

A CARD.

VICTORIA, V. I., April 27th, 1863.

BELLE DIVINE—Dear Madame: We the undersigned citizens of Victoria, having witnessed with pleasure your Dramatic and Vocal representations on the stage, and having great respect for your amiable qualities in private life, have learned with extreme regret that you have been suffering for many months under a painful and severe illness; and while we are gratified to hear that you are now happily recovered, we cheerfully unite in tendering you a Testimonial or Complimentary Benefit at the Theatre, to be taken upon any evening most agreeable to you:

J A McCrea, J S Drummond, N Rochland, Allen Francis, Edgar Martin, P. M. Backus, Robt George, J P Couch, S Reinhart, R F Pickett, J J Southgate, A Hoffman & Bros, J L Buckley, Saml Goldstone, M Sporborg, Jules Rueff, J P Davies, James Curtis, James Carswell, Lumley Frank'n, S Mitetich, E Marks, John Malowanski, Wm Zelner, John J Cochrane, W B Smith, N O Matthiessen, P Matthiessen, H Valentiner, E Sutro, H Schultz, Thos Pattrick, W Quarles, John Copland, Thomas H McCann, G R Fardon, I Lash, Wm H Parker, John Coles, David Hart, H W Alexandre, James M Lovell, R C R Stark, Godfrey Brown, K Gambitz, Thos F Tighe, H E E Willoughby, A F Hicks, W S Block, M D, Edward R Thomas, E Langley, B P Griffin, H Buckton, E Sutro, J L Jungermann, L Lowenberg, Braverman & Lewin, Theodore Pose, C Gentile, Macgrave Esdaile, H Shirley Blunt, George Pearkes, A S Bunna, Frederick Reynolds, James Irving, J Crowther, Engill, Young, Geo C Cruickshank, A DeCosmos, A J Brunn, W F Herre, James Lowe, M F Chadwick, G T Seymour, S A Bendixen, S David, John Bailey, S Corbiniere, C A Schmidt, C A Bayley, Joseph Loewen, David Shade, John Vogel, Jacob Miller, Henry Reinhardt, William Lohse, Charles Hogele, Thomas Geiger, S B Abbot, J F Tepell, R H Adams, R Stemmler & Co, B Zebing, M W Drake, D W Higgins, G Gilmore, Wm Geo Jamaison, S Montgomerie,

ST NICHOLAS HOTEL, May 18th, 1863.

Messrs. McCrea, Langley, and others:—

GENTLEMEN: I feel an apology due you for my tardiness in answering your most complimentary letter tendering me a Benefit, which came to hand the 13th instant. I am truly sensible of your kindness, and fully appreciate the compliment you propose, and tender you my sincere acknowledgment; but I deeply regret that continued ill health prevents my accepting your kind offer immediately. But as soon as I am sufficiently recovered, I will avail myself of your kind offer. To the gentlemen who kindly volunteered their services, I tender my most heartfelt thanks, and trust that I shall soon be able to join with them in offering a good entertainment to the public of Victoria.

I am, Gentlemen, Your Obdt. Servt.,
BELLE DIVINE.
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Velveteen Coats, Doeskin Coats,
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Two or more PACK HORSES.
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And he said unto him sleep; and he did sleep,
And he dreamed he dwelt in Cariboo.

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EACH, PER NIGHT, AT THE

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FOOT OF YATES STREET,

SUGARS.

2,000 kegs Sandwich Islands Sugar,
Assorted brands and qualities.

1,000 mats Sandwich Islands Sugar,
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THE ABOVE WILL BE SOLD ON A

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Genuine Yorkshire Hams;
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Oregon Hams;
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Heywood's Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon.
Smoked and Pickled Tongues.
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Victoria, V. I. Feb. 13, 1863. m13

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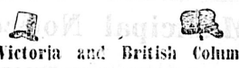

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CLOTHING—Black Cloth, Scotch Tweed and Doeskin Suits, Melton, Beaver and Pilot Coats, Tweed Trowsers and Vests, Moleskin Trowsers &c.
LAMBS WOOL HOSIERY.
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MARTELL—1 doz cases;
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THIS NEW AND COMMODIOUS Hotel is neatly Furnished, and the Beds cannot be excelled for cleanliness and comfort by any other establishment in the Colony. The Table is always well supplied with the best the market can afford, and the Bar is well Stocked with the Choicest Wines, Liquors, Porter and Ale.

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TUESDAY, May 19th,

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Private Effects

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Towels,
Boots,
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Etc..... Etc.....Etc.

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—AND—

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Tuesday Morning, May 19, 1863.

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AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

P. M. BACKUS will sell at 11 a. m., at salesroom, the Private Effects of a gentleman leaving the colony, consisting in part of, Clothes, Boots, Towels, Tablecloths, one Cooking Canteen, a fine breech loading Rifle, a Shot Gun, etc., etc. Also, Bacon, Beans, Flour, Sugar, and Aparejo Leather.

DANIEL SCOTT will sell, at 11 o'clock, a. m., in front of store, Coats, Pants, Shirts, Blankets, etc. Also two or more Pack Horses.

Latest from the North Coast.

The schooner Surprise, Capt. McKay, arrived at Esquimalt on Sunday, bringing a cargo of coal from Nanaimo. She left the Bentinck Arm on the 1st, and got to Nanaimo on the 11th instant. Capt. McKay reports that Walker and his party were all well, and had commenced work. Only 15 Indians are now alive there, all the rest having fallen under the ravages of smallpox. The survivors are engaged taking goods up the river in their canoes. The distance is 30 miles, and they charge three blankets a man, and three for the canoe, every journey. It is expected that the Bentinck Arm trail will be much used this season. The rumor relative to the manner of McLeod's death, which prevailed recently, appears to have been unfounded. It happened thus: McLeod was sitting at supper, when an old Indian, who was on the tramp, came to his tent. Poor Bob, with his well-known hospitality, placed the best he had before the visitor, and entertained him throughout the evening, finally giving him leave to lay down in the tent with him. In the middle of the night the Indian arose, took his gun, and, standing over his sleeping host, pointed the muzzle at him, and was about to fire, when McLeod groaned in his sleep and moved uneasily. The murderer was startled, and refrained from firing, thinking his victim was about to wake. Three several times did the old savage cock his gun, and as often hesitated to fire, but seeing that McLeod still slept, he approached a fourth time, and summoning courage, shot his unfortunate host dead. This was the account the murderer himself gave to his tribe.

Fisher was killed by a boy under 12 years of age, who came behind and shot him through the back, killing him instantly. As soon as he saw that the man was dead, the boy ran and fetched some of his relatives, and they immediately made a large fire and burned the body, scattering the ashes afterwards in every direction. These Indians are quite desperate, and utterly reckless. They say they have lost every relative and friend by disease—they have no ties of kindred—nothing to hope for, or to make life worth the keeping, and they coolly and deliberately announce their intention of killing every white man who shall set foot upon their land. If a man-of-war is sent to capture them, they consider it an honorable distinction, and the men who may be brought down here to be tried and executed, enjoy the reputation of martyred Saints among their countrymen.

The Surprise was boarded off Cape Mudge by a party of Bute Inlet Indians, who said there had been a fight between Waddington's party and the Eucletaws, in which five white men were killed. The Indians could give no particulars of the affair. This goes far to confirm the previous report. The Indians who came off were part of the Claoosh tribe. The schooner made the passage up to the Arm in eight days.

FROM WHATCOM.—The sloop John Dixon, R. Hughes, arrived yesterday from Whatcom. An election was held there last Friday, of Union delegates for Fort Vancouver. Five candidates were in the field and the votes were as follows:—Peabody, 13; Cray, 15; J. Hyatt, 6; Capt. Otter, 2; and Williams, 2. Peabody and Cray elected. The county has just gone to a heavy expense in purchasing a large fireproof brick two story building for a county courthouse. The building originally cost $15,000, but the county got it for $2000. A chief of the Lummi tribe, with his daughter and two half-breed children, were drowned near Bellingham Bay last week by the upsetting of their canoe. The children were Frank Mahoney's, one of the party who went to Bute Inlet with Waddington. The Christopher Mitchell's cargo had all been taken out, and they had succeeded in getting her upon an even keel. They expected to float her in a few days. No further information had been obtained of the fisherman whose body was found recently, partly burned.

THE INDIAN MURDERS AT BENTINCK ARM.—There appears to be more work for our gunboats in the neighborhood of Bentinck Arm after they get through with the Lumalchas. The following extract from a letter, dated Bentinck Arm, May 3, written by Mr. Ernest R. Walker to Henry Rhodes, Esq., speaks of the three murders by the Indians at that place:— "* * * The Indians during my absence in Victoria have been behaving very badly, and have murdered three white men here. Would you mention it to those in power and try to get them to send a gunboat up to take the murderers? Because if no notice is taken of it, they will carry on the game to any extent. * * I hope you will use your interest to induce the authorities to take some notice of these murders." Mr. Walker does not mention the names of the parties murdered; but we presume they are the same unfortunate persons of whom we have previously heard.

REFUSING DUTY.—John Britty and Wm. Wilson appeared yesterday in the police court to answer a charge preferred by the master of the bark Cambridge, of refusing to join after signing articles. Capt. Brook did not appear and the prisoners were consequently discharged.

FROM THE SOUND.—The steamer Eliza Anderson arrived from the Sound about 12 o'clock last night. She brought several passengers and a quantity of freight. She also brings highly important later war news, which will be found elsewhere.

A RUMOR.—A report was current yesterday to the effect that two of Mr. Munro's men engaged on the Comax Road, had been murdered by the Indians. This story requires confirmation.

SAILED.—The schooner Alberni, Anderson, sailed this morning for Barclay Sound with several passengers, 50 tons of freight, and 4 oxen.

THE CALEDONIA.—The steamer Caledonia has undergone a thorough refitting in every department, and will be ready for service again in a few days.

FROM NANAIMO.—The schooner Antelope arrived from Nanaimo yesterday with 27 tons of coal to Mr. C. C. Clapperton.

☞ The schooner Alpha arrived at Esquimalt yesterday with a cargo of coal from Nanaimo.

☞ The schooner Shark, Page, arrived last night from Nanaimo, with a little coal and 20 bales of deerskins to Mr. Myers.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Otter will leave for New Westminster at 10 o'clock this morning.

FROM SAN JUAN.—The sloop Random arrived from San Juan yesterday with two passengers.

Police Court.

Before A. F. Pemberton, Esq.

MONDAY, 8th May.

HUGH JAS. WEIR AND OTHERS VS. DUNCAN, FOR PERJURY.

In this case Mr. McCreight, instructed by Mr. Bishop, appeared for the prosecution; and Mr. Ring, instructed by Mr. Dennes, for the defence.

Mr. Bishop was first called for the prosecution, and proved the circumstances of the perjury, alleged to have been committed by Duncan in the Supreme Court, while under examination in the case of Emmick *vs.* Duncan. He deposed that Duncan had sworn three times in an unqualified manner, that a man named Resin was employed at the Albert Head Sawmill when Emmick went there to work, but had afterwards said it was to the best of his belief, and wished to refer to his books. In reply to a question from Mr. Ring, witness said he certainly thought the verdict in the case ought to have been otherwise. He was not appearing as prosecutor.

J. P. Emmick was called to show that Resin was not at the mill on the 8th November, 1857, when he went there to work. Witness heard Duncan say in the Supreme Court, "that he believed Resin left the mill when he (witness) arrived there." He repeated it about three times.

Mr. Edgar, one of the jurors on the trial of the cause, said the impression on his mind was that Duncan said that Emmick arrived in the evening and that Resin left in the morning. He did not remember that Duncan's attention was drawn to the importance of such an oath.

Mr. G. H. Cary was called and deposed to the circumstances under which the statements had been made by Duncan while under cross-examination by him. This witness stated that having warned Duncan as to the importance of answering the question he was about to put, he asked him if he would swear that Resin was with him when Emmick arrived, to which he answered, certainly. The question having been put and answered two or three times without referring to any book. Duncan had referred to a book on other occasions to refresh his memory, and on one occasion, but not upon this, said he must refer to his book before giving his answer.

Mr. Ring declined to cross-examine.

Wm. Hunt proved that Resin was not working at the mill when Emmick came there to work.

Mr. Ring made a bow to the witness and desired him to reconsider himself cross-examined.

George Thomas and Andrew Shaw also deposed to the same fact.

Emmick and Hunt were then recalled and answered a few questions of no import, which closed the case for the prosecution.

For the defence Mr. Ring called

Thos. Swanwick, who stated that he was in Court and remembered Duncan stating that Resin was there when Emmick arrived. The impression on witness' mind was that it was when asked this question Duncan requested to refer to his book, but was refused. When pressed, he said it was to the best of his belief.

Witness was cross-examined by Mr. McCreight, but nothing was elicited in contradiction of his evidence.

In reply to the Court, witness said he did not remember the date of the trial. (Mr. Bishop's evidence was here read over). His impression of Duncan's reference to his book differed from Mr. Bishop's. The last words he remembered Duncan saying before he left the box were, "To the best of my recollection."

Edward R. Thomas, one of the jurors, remembered the Judge, after some discussion between the counsel, permitting Duncan to look at his books, to refresh his memory with regard to the time Resin had left his mill. Duncan said "Resin was there, when Emmick came," and, upon cross-examination, he said, "to the best of his recollection." It was so long ago he could not remember perfectly, and wanted to look at his books, but was stopped.

Cross-examined by Mr. Bishop—Believed that after Duncan said "it was to the best of his belief," several more questions were asked him.

Robt. Wallace, Foreman of the Jury, remembered perfectly when Duncan was pressed he said if he might refer to his books he could answer directly, but he was not allowed. Duncan then put down the book and said, "Well, I will say he was not at the mill."

Upon cross-examination witness said he did not remember Duncan making the statement two or three times; did not remember his saying it more than once.

Mr. Ring here rose and said it was needless for him to call further witnesses and asked the court to dismiss the charge. Mr. Ring then proceeded to comment upon the nature of the evidence for the prosecution. He compared it to the ludicrous story of the clergyman who was furious at the costly and extravagant dresses with which the ladies came rustling up the aisle of his church, diverting the attention of worshippers, and accordingly adopted as his text "top-not come down." The people hstened with amazement to a sermon on ladies head dresses, and to their astonishment discovered that only half of the text had been given—"Let him that is on the house-top not come down." He contended that the whole evidence should be taken and not a part of it, and if necessary he would call other witnesses to confirm the evidence he had already adduced.

Mr. Bishop (in the absence of Mr. McCraight) argued that the evidence was sufficient to substantiate the charge. He drew the attention of the Court to the fact that it was declared by two or three witnesses, and by the Attorney-General in particular, that Duncan had, two or three times after warning, sworn to a fact which was untrue. He also pointed out a discrepancy between the evidence of Swanwick and Thomas.

Mr. Pemberton said, that after what had been sworn to by the witnesses, it was out of all question to suppose that he could send the case up for trial; he could not do otherwise than dismiss the charge.

Mr. Ring here made an application for costs, on the ground of "vexatious proceedings," but was stopped by the Magistrate, who said the charge had not been improperly brought.

VICTORIA THEATRE.—The house was well filled last night with a fashionable and highly appreciative audience, to witness Miss Carrie Howard's benefit, under the patronage of Commodore Spencer, R. N. The *petit* comedy of "Perfection" was played with great spirit. Mr. Potter ably filled the part of the gay old bachelor, and Charles Paragon, his nephew, was well sustained by Mr. E. White. Mr. Rushton, as Sam, the "gentleman's gentleman," afforded great amusement in his comic scenes with her ladyship's "own maid" (Miss Netty Sager). Kate O'Brien, the Maid of Munster, was impersonated by the beneficiary in her usual happy style, who well deserved the plaudits her acting drew forth from the audience. Between the pieces Mr. S. Gumbinner gave a recitation from Byron's Childe Harold, which was followed by the amusing farce of "Betsey Baker," in which the several characters were well brought out, and the audience kept in continual mirth. Mr. Godfrey Brown as Mouser was as amusing as usual, and was well supported by Mr. Asker as Crummey. Miss Howard was of course the heroine of the piece, and appeared to equal advantage. The excellent Band of the Topaze added greatly to the entertainment of the evening by its admirable performance of a choice selection of music.

ARRESTED.—Capt. Hall, late of the smuggling craft Kingfisher, was arrested yesterday morning and brought up in the Police Court on a charge of appropriating certain monies entrusted to his care. Capt. Hall appeared to be very ill, and said he was suffering from a bad leg. The magistrate said he would remand him for one day for further enquiry into the charge, and in the mean time would take bail for his appearance to the amount of $250.

MAYOR'S COURT.—The only case brought before His Worship yesterday was the Ravine nuisance. Mr. Pattrick obtained a further postponement for one week.

SUPREME COURT.—A Summary Suit Court was held yesterday, and a number of trifling cases were disposed of.

CITY COUNCIL.

18th May, 1863.

Present—His Worship the Mayor and a full board.

COMMUNICATIONS—STREET NUISANCES.

From Mr. Matthiessen, drawing attention to the condition of the drainage from the St. Nicholas Hotel. The building had cost $50,000, and they had placed a brick sewer under their building which was too low to carry off the drainage without a city sewer and asking the Council to take cognizance of the matter.

Also, from the Manager of the Bank of British North America, drawing attention to the accumulation of stagnant filth and drainage matter under the side-walk in front of the Bank, it being considered not only a nuisance, but injurious to health, and desiring that the Council would devise means of abating the same.

His Worship thought a wooden sewer might be constructed without much expense to carry the drainage off.

Mr. Copland moved that the communication be placed on file and that the Council inspect the nuisances complained of and come prepared at their next meeting to devise means for remedying the evil. Mr. Searby seconded.

Mr. Lewis said Mr. Matthiessen was willing to contribute his share with other property holders to put down a sewer, but the objection to a private drainage was that others could not be prevented from using it.

Mr. Copland's motion was carried.

From John Dickson stating that he could not reduce the price for stoves, &c., supplied to the Council.

A discussion ensued—several Councillors thought that the charges were too high, but did not see that the Council could do otherwise than pay it, as no previous agreement had been made.

Agreed that the amount be paid.

An account for $180 was brought up from Mr. Trounce for quarters rent of the Council Chamber.

Agreed that the same be handed over to the Finance Committee and if correct, that it be paid.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT.

The following report of the Finance Committee was brought up.

A. Watson, $16 52½; W. P. Sayward, $44 30; J. W. C. Rhind, $8; Grahamshaw & Morris, $402; Robert Elford, $13; Langley Bros., $41 75; Fellows and Roscoe, $75 87½; amounting to $601 45. Signed by John Copland, Chairman, and Wm. Hicks.

Mr. Copland moved and Mr. Stronach seconded, that the amounts set out in the report be paid.

Mr. Searby was of opinion that if the Council paid, without careful investigation, every account sent in, they would soon find themselves without funds, he was in favor of further enquiry before payment.

Mr. Stronach thought the Council ought to be prompt in their payments if they wished to get things cheap. He was in favor of payment. All the Council could do was to refuse to deal again with those who had charged too much.

Mr. Coplands motion was carried.

STREET CONTRACTS.

The following report of tenders for grading and macadamising streets was sent up by the Committee:

Government street, Neely, $2,616; Broad street, Hicks & Bawden, $3077; Cormorant street, Ditto, $1,400; Fort street, Neely, $1,000; Wharf street, Hicks & Bawden, $756; Langley street, Neely, $1,200; Douglas street, Jeffray & Co., $18,155; Broughton street, Nicholson, Wells & Co., $1,750; Blanchard street, Jeffray & Co., $5,795.—Total, $35,749.

Mr. Hicks said he thought it would be an unfair expenditure of the public revenue to grade the end of Government street where there was no traffic and to neglect Douglas, Fort, View and Broad streets, where it was so much wanted.

Mr. Stronach moved—That Government, Broad, Fort, Wharf, and Cormorant streets, be graded and contracts made as tendered, and that the portion of Douglas street, between Fort and Johnson street be advertised for.—Motion carried.

STREET COMMITTEE REPORT.

The Street Committee reported that Terence Monaghan is entitled to the sum of $153 75 for teams, &c. Agreed that same be handed over to the Finance Committee.

ORDINANCE REGULATING CONSTRUCTION OF STREET PROJECTIONS.

Mr. Lewis' draft of an ordinance regulating the construction of verandahs, bow-windows, and other street projections, came up for the second reading.

A difference of opinion was expressed with regard to the projections of bay-windows.

Councillor Searby moved, and Copland seconded, That the bay-windows be not allowed to pass the lines of the streets. Motion lost.

Mr. Hicks moved, and Mr. Stronach seconded, That scaffolding for awning-posts be not less than 4x4, stringers 2x8, and other stanchions in proportion. Motion carried.

Mr. Stronach moved, That no swinging signs be allowed to project over the foot-paths, and that no signs crossing the foot-paths be within 10 feet of the ground. Motion carried.

Mr. Searby moved that the sills of Bay windows shall not be allowed within 18 inches of the side walk. Motion carried.

Second reading passed.

REVISORS.

Mr. Copland asked leave to let his motion for the appointment of Revisors on the Trades Licences stand over.

PUBLIC POUND.

Mr. Coplands motion for a committee to select a proper site for a Public Pound was carried, and Councillors Copland and Stronach named.

STORAGE OF ALCOHOL, CAMPHENE, &C.

Mr. Copland's By-law regulating the storage of alcohol, camphene, and other combustibles then came up.

Mr. Copland supported his motion.

Mr. Searby condemned it as being too restrictive, and calculated to interfere considerably with those in the trade.

Messrs. Hicks and Lewis approved of some and condemned other portions of the proposed By-law.

Capt. Reid said it was one of the best ordinances which had yet been introduced, but was premature. They must wait till they had more brick buildings.

Mr. Copland agreed to amend the Ordinance so as to leave it that, That no person shall be allowed to leave such combustibles uncovered for a longer period than 6 hours, under a penalty of not more than $50 nor less than $5.

Passed third reading.

SALE OF GUNPOWDER TO INDIANS.

Mr. Copland's By-law prohibiting the sale of gunpowder and ammunition to Indians within the city limits came up, but not being seconded fell through.

Mr. Searby said it was the province of the House of Assembly to introduce such a measure.

Capt. Reid said he approved of the intention of the By-law, but was afraid he couldn't second it, it would only enable the Hudson's Bay Company who obtained large profits from the trade in powder and ammunition up the coast to double their profits.

SIDE-WALK QUESTION.

A communication from Mr. Robert Austen was received requesting that action be deferred in the construction of a side-walk on his lot on Humboldt street, until the line of the street be defined.

Mr. Searby moved that the construction of the side-walk on the lot in question be delayed till the boundary of the street is defined.

CONTRACTS FOR UNCOMPLETED SIDE-WALKS.

A number of tenders were opened and read and referred to the Committee on Contracts, to award the contracts to the lowest bidders.

Mr. Copland moved that the Council adjourn to Tuesday week at 7:30 p. m.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP—MACE AND AN UNKNOWN.—For some time past rumors have been in circulation that this event was an entire concoction on the part of Mace, with what object is not clearly shown. It now appears that a Mr. Bernard, the backer of the Unknown, has failed to make good his deposit, not having "heard from New York," and wishing for an extension of time. This Mace declines granting, and has claimed forfeit. The match is therefore off; but the entire business, as far as Mace is concerned, is looked upon with a deal of suspicion.

Arrival of the Eliza Anderson.

Reported Capture of Richmond.

Port Gibson Captured.

Hooker Re-crosses the Rappahannock.

RAPID DECLINE OF GOLD

The steamer Eliza Anderson arrived at twelve o'clock last night, bringing the following important news from the seat of war:—

The Richmond papers contain the following:

MILFORD, May 7th—Yesterday, Jackson penetrated the enemy's rear, and drove him from his position to within half a mile of Chancellorville. He was attacked at the same time in front, by two of Longstreet's divisions. Loss on both sides very heavy.

WASHINGTON, May 8th.—It has been ascertained from the front that the army has arrived with all its accoutrements at old Camp Falmouth. The demonstration of Hooker proved no disaster, but simply a failure. Less than three-fourths of the whole force could be engaged, owing to the dense forests and impassable roads. Our loss in prisoners does not exceed 1500.

The President and Gen. Halleck visited Hooker's army on Tuesday, and returned to-night. The army is preparing for another movement. We will probably not know when it is to be made until after it is commenced.

PHILADELPHIA, May 8th.—Last evening's Washington *Star* says:

It is understood that Gen. Hooker estimates his loss at 10,000 killed, wounded and missing, and also that he brought away all his material from his late position, and that while so unfortunate as to lose some artillery he took as many prisoners as he lost.

NEW YORK, May 8—A special dispatch states Gen. Stoughton says that on Monday morning farmers rushed into the city with news of Stoneman's appearance in the suburbs, and that our cavalry were gobbling up everybody as prisoners. The bells were rung, and fearful consternation prevailed.

Stoughton states that Stoneman's forces went within sight of Richmond, and four of our men were captured within a mile and a quarter of that city.

Gen. Banks has issued orders commanding all registered enemies to leave his department on or before the 15th of May, and declaring the death penalty for furnishing supplies to the enemy.

SECOND DISPATCH.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.—The *Bulletin* of this city publishes the following:—We have highly important intelligence this evening. We learn from the editor of the *Enquirer* that one of their correspondents, who had just returned from Washington, is informed that Gen. Hooker re-crossed the Rappahannock in force, yesterday, the men carrying eight days rations. We also learn from another source that is vouched for as reliable, that Gen. Keyes has taken Richmond, having advanced upon it via Yorktown, and that the Federal flag now floats over the rebel capital. If this intelligence is true, Hooker's falling back was a ruse, and the real attack on Richmond was to be made while Lee's army was on the Rappahannock. If Stoneman has cut off Lee as is reported, it will be the work of time for Lee to reach the rebel capitol; in the meantime Hooker is on his heels.

LATER.—We have a confirmation from a perfectly reliable source that Hooker had recrossed the Rappahannock.

Gold has been falling rapidly to-day, and this fact probably resulted from the important movements reported. We have no quotations of the prices of the precious metals since the reception of the important news.

The telegraph is silent concerning the starling intelligence, which is already exciting the utmost enthusiasm.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.—It is reported that private advices have been received in this city lately from Fortress Monroe stating that 10,000 Federal troops arrived there on the 5th, as reinforcements, and immediately moved forward for an attack on Richmond.

There is no doubt that Hooker had crossed the Rappahannock. It is also stated that Gen. Stoneman was lying at White House on the 6th, receiving reinforcements from transports via York river, and immediately sending them toward to Richmond.

The people of this city are in the highest state of excitement over the glorious news.

CHICAGO, midnight, May 9.—I send you everything received up to this time, in regard to the reported capture of Richmond.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., May 9.—The following was received last night.

Grand Gulf, May 3.—We gained a glorious victory at Port Gibson, Mississippi, on the 1st. The enemy are in full retreat, and our forces close pursuit. The Illinois troops, as usual, behaved with the greatest gallantry. The loss on our side is 150 killed and 500 wounded. We have taken 1000 prisoners. The loss in killed and wounded is much greater than ours.

(Signed) RICHARD YATES.

WASHINGTON, May 9,—The following has been received from Grand Gulf by General Halleck: We landed at Bolingsburg, April 30, and marched directly to Port Gibson and met the enemy, 11,000 strong, four miles south of that place on the morning of the first at 2 o'clock. We engaged and fought him all day, entirely routing him, with the loss of many killed and wounded and about 500 prisoners, besides the wounded. Our loss is about 100 killed and 500 wounded. The enemy retreated towards Vicksburg, destroying the bridges over the Bayou Pierre. They were rebuilt, and the pursuit continues until the present time. Four field-pieces and some stores were captured, and the enemy destroyed much more. The country is the most broken and difficult, to operate in of any I ever saw. Our victory is complete and the enemy is thoroughly demoralized.

Signed, Grand Gulf, May 6, to General Halleck

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10—The steamers Brother Jonathan from Victoria, and Orizaba from Panama, arrived last night.

MARYSVILLE, May 10, 4 P. M.—There is intense excitement here, at San Francisco and Sacramento, over the news of the capture of Richmond.

Victoria Market Report.

VICTORIA, V. I., May 19, 1863.

The local trade generally is depressed, the effect of the great exodus to Cariboo, which has deprived the City of at least one-third of its winter population.

The provision trade alone has displayed any activity during the past few days. Large quantities of feed have been purchased for the Up river trade, and although plentiful, supplies are on the way from below per Rival, Victor, Tanner, and Naramissie, yet their non-arrival causes prices to remain firm, with the exception of ground barley which has fallen.

The Otter will sail to-day with the largest freight exported this season to the Fraser.

A large public sale of 2000 kegs and 1000 mats of Sugar is announced to take place to-morrow at McCrea's Auction rooms.

The Government of British Columbia has consented to provide the facilities to send up treasure to the mines as well as to bring gold dust down, whenever there is an amount sufficient to warrant it—$100,000, for instance, either way. This will have the effect of a gold escort, and be, no doubt, the means of making money more plentiful, as it will allow the up-country traders to make their remittances with safety.

BACON—Oregon very scarce, 20c@22c; sale of 6000 lbs effected at 20c; large supplies expected from San Francisco.

BEANS—Steady at previous prices.

FLOUR—$6 p bbl, with an upward tendency: Stock large.

SUGARS—Stocks large. The recent arrivals per Cambridge from the Sandwich Islands have caused prices to decline slightly. A sale of 2000 kegs and 1000 mats will take place on Wednesday at McCrea's auction rooms.

ALE AND PORTER—In case, in demand.

ANAMALS—Recent advices from British Columbia report Pack and Saddle Animals as very abundant. They are not in demand in this market.

PROCLAMATION.—To all persons suffering from Asthma and Difficulty of Breathing,

Consumption, Coughs, Colds and Croups,
Bronchitis, Whooping Cough,
Pleurisy, Inflammation of the Lungs,
Sore Throat, Spitting of Blood,
And all other Pulmonary Affections,

we proclaim a *never failing remedy*. Tis Jayne's Expectorant.

LANGLEY BROS. and CURTIS & MOORE, Agents for Victoria.

HOLLOWAYS OINTMENT AND PILLS.—The treatment pursued by Professor Holloway for the cure of wounds and ulcers is the most simple and certain in its effects, it has been tried by hundreds of thousands and never been known to fail; by the administration of an internal remedy (the Pills,) he drives disease out, and by the administration of an external remedy (the Ointment), he heals wounds, ulcers, and the worst of external disorders. By this celebrated treatment, also, bad legs and ulcers are cured, even when they have been upwards of twenty years standing

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ENTERED.

May 18—Schr Surprise, McKay, Nanaimo
Str Otter, Lewis, New Westminster
Slp Leonede, McAlmond, Port Angelos
Slp Venus, Thornton, San Juan

CLEARED.

May 18—Slp Northern Light, Mountfort, Port Angelos
Slp Venus, Thornton, San Juan
Sch Alberni, Anderson, Alberni

Dr. M. H. Boscowitz,
German Physician,
Surgeon and Obstetrician.
RESIDENCE AND OFFICE YATES STREET,
Over Curtis & Moore's Drug Store. Entrance on Langley street.
OFFICE HOURS. .....9 to 12 A. M., 2 to 5 P. M.
N. B.—is familiar with the English, French, and Spanish Languages. ap24 tf

California and Oregon
STEAMSHIP LINE,
Carrying H. M. Mails.
THE FOLLOWING STEAMERS WILL leave San Francisco during May and June:
SIERRA NEVADA....via Portland.....May 7
BRO. JONATHAN.....Direct..... " 11
SIERRA NEVADA....via Portland..... " 27
BRO JONATHAN.....do.....June 7
SIERRA NEVADA....Direct..... " 17
BRO JONATHAN.....via Portland..... " 27
For Freight or Passage apply to
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO., Agents.
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Storage and Forwarding,
YALE, B. C.
PARTIES SHIPPING
BY THE YALE AND LYTTON ROUTE,
ARE ADVISED THAT
KIMBALL & GLADWIN
HAVE ERECTED AN EXTENSIVE
Storehouse and Dock at Yale, B. C.,
And they are prepared to Receive, Store, and Forward Goods. The capacity of the Building is about
400 TONS,
AND IS PERFECTLY ISOLATED,
Offering security from Fire seldom met with in Interior Towns.
K. & G. act as Agents for parties employing them. Engaging Freight at lowest rates, and rendering prompt attention to Re-packing and Delivery of Goods.
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A. NOLTEMEIER,
Boot and Shoe Maker
WADDINGTON ALLEY,
RESPECTFULLY INFORMS HIS Customers and the public in general, that he has a large and varied Stock of
Boots, Shoes and Gaiters,
☞ Which he will sell for the lowest Cash Prices. His Customers may depend on getting well Fitting Boots or Shoes, and manufactured from the very best material.
REPAIRING
Neatly done at the shortest notice.
A. NOLTEMEIER
Has Secured the Best Workmen that can be obtained on the Pacific Coast.
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James' Bay Brewery.
ALFRED J. WELCH
IS NOW PREPARED TO SUPPLY Ale of superior Quality, brewed under his own personal supervision, by an English Brewer of twenty years experience, and made from the finest Malt and Hops only.
A good article recommends itself, and A. J. W confidently submits his Ale to the judgment of a discerning public.
ALL CASKS FULL ENGLISH MEASURE!
Orders sent to the Brewery for any quantities will be promptly executed, and a Traveller will call regularly upon the trade and other customers.
ap20

INFLUENZA & BRONCHITIS.
THOUSANDS WHO SUFFER FROM these complaints are ignorant of the fact that Dr. Wm. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS
Is peculiarly adapted to their cure, a few days use of it being generally sufficient to subdue the cough and remove every unpleasant symptom. For sale by all Druggists, and by REDINGTON & CO., Agents. 416 and 418 Front street, San Francisco
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Mr. William Oakley,
Architect and Surveyor,
Government street, opposite the St. James,
PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND ESTIMATES carefully prepared, and Works superintended.
Quantities Taken Out;
Dilapidations Surveyed;
Valuations Made:
Land Surveying, Levelling, etc, ap30 1m*

FRANK CAMPBELL
HAS THE
Best Virginia Tobacco
ON THIS COAST;
Also, the
Finest Havana Cigars,
FRUIT AND CONFECTIONERY;
Johnson street, near Waddington Alley, next the Butcher's Shop.
☞ Gentlemen call, and see for yourselves. ap2

Cosmopolitan Livery and Sale Stable
PLASKITT & GLIDE,
SUCCESSORS TO JOHN PARKER.
THE UNDERSIGNED, IN UNDERTAKING the management of the above Stables, (on and after the 1st November,) are determined to leave nothing unattempted on their part to make it the MOST THOROUGH ESTABLISHMENT in the city.
The old patrons of Mr. Parker, and all who want
A GOOD OUTFIT, DAY OR NIGHT,
In riding or driving, will find Harry and Bill on hand to accommodate them.
We have also Drays and Wagons, and will attend promptly to all orders left at the Stable, or at Mr. Backus' Auction House.
Horses left on Livery or for Sale will have the best treatment.
ap28 1m PLASKITT & GLIDE.

MILLINERY.
MRS. HEIN,
Government street, opposite the Victoria Theatre
KEEPS ALWAYS ON HAND
A well-selected Stock of Millinery:
Bonnets, Hats, Ribbons, Artificial Flowers &c., &c.,
All of the Latest Fashion. ap23

Grains and Yeast.
A CONSTANT SUPPLY
Of the above for sale at the Lion Brewery.
Apply at the Brewery Office, Langley street.
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CARD.
DR. JAS. TRIMBLE HAS REMOVED his private residence to near OGDEN POINT across James Bay. His Office is on Broad street.
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MONEY TO LEND ON REAL ESTATE
Apply to MR. COPLAND,
ap26 1m Brick Building, Langley street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE
Bank of British Columbia
Incorporated by Royal Charter.
Capital, ... $1,250,000.
IN 12,500 SHARES, OF $100 EACH,
WITH POWER TO INCREASE.
GOLD DUST and BARS Purchased,
—OR—
Advances made upon the same.
—ALSO—
Received on Consignment, and disposed of as advised,
FREE OF CHARGE.
CURRENT ACCOUNTS are opened for any amount not less than One Hundred Dollars, and every facility granted to traders and others for the transaction of business.
DEPOSIT RECEIPTS issued for money lodged for fixed periods, bearing the following rates of Interest:
On money lodged for 1 month certain, at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 3 months certain, at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 6 months certain, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 12 months certain, at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.
No partial payment made on these receipts. Interest payable half yearly, and the principal not due until the expiry of the period for which the money is lodged.
DISCOUNTS AND ADVANCES.—Approved Bills discounted, and advances made upon Bills of Lading, (accompanied by Policies of Insurance,) forgoods shipped to or from the Colonies.
DRAFTS AND LETTERS OF CREDIT issued on Great Britain and the Colonies, also on New York and San Francisco, and bills on these places purchased or sent for collection.
CREDITS issued on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York, authorizing payment for Goods shipped from those ports to the Colonies; all such shipments to be Insured and Hypothecated to the Bank.
GOVERNMENT and other SECURITIES received for safe custody, and 1 per cent. Commission charged on withdrawing the same. Interest and Dividends collected on account of constituents at the rate of one half per cent on the amount collected, if payable in Victoria.
GOLD DUST AND BARS purchased, or advances made upon the same.
Office hours, 10 to 3. Saturday's, 10 to 1.
JAMES D. WALKER, Manager.
Victoria, September 12, 1862. m13

VICTORIA

Wholesale and Retail
CROCKERY
GLASSWARE
—AND—
Lamp Depot,
Fort Street,
NEAR BROAD.
D. LINDSAY,
Has always on hand a complete assortment of the above Goods of best Manufacture. ap25

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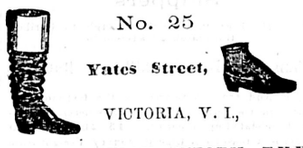
Yates Street,
VICTORIA, V. I.,
RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE Public that Mr Cowper, of our Firm, having returned from England, with a large and well selected Stock of Boots, Shoes, &c., they now offer to the public a superior article of
Ladies' Gentlemens' and Childrens'
BOOTS AND SHOES,
That are far superior and better suited to this market than anything heretofore offered. ap20 1m

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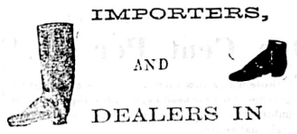
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BOOTS AND SHOES,
LEATHER,
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BUNTING & DODS,

WAGON AND CARRIAGE
Builders!
—AND—
General Blacksmiths,
YATES ST., OPPOSITE BAYLEY'S,
Wagons and Carriages of every description built and repaired. All Work warranted.
☞ Horses, Mules and Bullocks shod with care and attention. m2

OTTO CARL,
COMMISSION AGENT,
AND DEALER IN
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS & PRODUCE,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
OPPOSITE THE ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,
Next door to the New England Bakery.
ap23

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS LEAVE to inform the public of Victoria and vicinity that he has lately opened the
Pacific Grocery and Provision Store,
And is now ready to receive customers.
Please call and see the well-selected Goods. The cheap prices will satisfy everybody.
By every California steamer I will receive the best FRESH RANCH BUTTER, NEW FRUITS, and VEGETABLES of every description.
☞ All goods delivered to any part of the city.
Respectfully,
ap23 OTTO CARL.

JOHN J. COCHRANE
Stock and Share Broker.
BUYS AND SELLS GOVERNMENT AND other Securities, negotiates the Transfer of Railway Stock, and the purchase and sale of Shares in all public companies in the Colonies or England, negotiates Loans on the deposit of Shares in Approved or Public Companies, and transacts a General Stock and Share Broking Business.
Has for sale £5000 0 0, British Columbia Government Securities, in Debentures of £50 0 0 each, redeemable on 31st Dec., 1863, and 31st Dec., 1864, and bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly m4

The British Columbia and Victoria
DIRECTORY,
For 1863.
HAS ARRIVED PER THE "BROTHER Jonathan," and can be obtained on application to Walton and Barnett, General Agents, Yates street, or to Hibben and Carswell, Gentile & Co., W. F. Sierre, Miss. F. Wilson, and at all stationers in town.
PRICE, - - - - $3 00.
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TO ARRIVE PER
"FUSI YAMA."
1 First Class Horizontal 10 Horse Power STEAM ENGINE,
With Boiler and all fittings complete
4 tons square headed BOLTS,
With Nuts and Washers.
60 bundles Corrugated SHEET IRON,
Best quality
300 gross CORKS and BUNGS.
FOR SALE BY
MR. A. T. ELLIOTT,
OF THE
LION BREWERY.
BREWERY OFFICE, Langley Street, May 4th, 1863.
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Hibben & Carswell,
BOOKSELLERS
—AND—
STATIONERS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
Medical, Law, Theological and Miscellaneous Books.
Are constantly supplied and receiving by every Steamer, all new Books by the best English and American authors. STATIONARY and BLANK BOOKS direct from the manufacturers,
Writing Paper, Drawing Paper,
Printing do. Wrapping do.
MATHEMATICAL INSTRUMENTS!!!

BRITISH COLONIST.

Odds and Oddities.

A very singular occurrence is reported to have happened in the North Sea a few days ago. On the 2d of March, the steamer Jutland of Hull, Captain Watson, while on her passage from Pillau, was caught in a storm. A sea struck the vessel, and a goose belonging to Mr. Tate the second engineer of the Jutland, and which had a label tied to its leg bearing the owner's name and address, was washed overboard. The poor bird was carried away and lost sight of. It appears that some time afterwards it was devoured by a shark. Subsequently the shark was entrapped in the traul of the fishing smack Violet, of Hull. On the net being hove in the monster was opened, and the lost bird was in its stomach. Observing the label on its leg, the captain of the smack determined to take care of it until he got home. On his arrival at Hull, he went to the address indicated on the label, and presented the goose to the engineer, who was naturally astonished to see the lost bird. He however recovered his surprise as well as his property, took it home and had it cooked for dinner on the following day, and pronounced the twice eaten biped to be excellent.

"What makes the gas light so vaccinating?" said Mrs. Partington, endeavoring to thread her needle as the gaslight rose and fell now springing up to a brilliant flame, and now almost going out. It became steady at last when Ike emerged from the cellar. "Where have you been?" inquired she, looking around at him. "Been to try the meter wrench," he replied. "What!" she screamed, in a tone that raised the cap off her head, "meet a wench! You disgraceful boy, how dare you say such a thing? I am almost tempered to take corrosive measures and punish you within an inch of your skin. Such a fragrant outrage I never knew in one so young. Boys that show such a moral turpentine never come to any good end." She ceased suddenly like a horse cart brought up by a draw bridge, and rocked back and forth much excited. "I didn't do nothing," said Ike, "only tried this long thing on the gas the man gave me." And he held out to her a small wrench used to turn the gas off with, which he had been trying in the cellar. Mrs. Partington blushed just like a maple tree in October, and, patting the boy on the head, she sent him out with a three cent piece that he had been for an hour teazing for in vain.

An old Dutchman undertook to wallop his son, but Jake turned upon him and walloped him. The old man consoled himself for his defeat by rejoicing at his son's manhood. He said, "Vell, Jake ish a shmart fellow; he can vip his own taddy."

A son of the Emerald Isle, meeting a countryman whose face was not perfectly remembered, after saluting him cordially, inquired his name. "Walsh," was the answer. "Walsh! Walsh!" responded Paddy, "aren't ye from Dublin?—I knew two ould maids there of that name—was either o' them yer mother?"

Marriage must be favorable to longevity; an old maid never lives to be more than thirty.

What is the most indigestible supper?—To bolt the street door just before going to bed.

FOR SALE–TO LET.

New Bricks!
FOR SALE.

☞ Apply to
J. MASON, at the Brick Yard,
or G. MASON, at the Identical,
WHARF & YATES STREETS.
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CATTLE FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS ABOUT ONE HUNDRED HEAD OF CATTLE for Sale, as follows: fifty head of Milch Cows with Calves, thirty Heifers and the balance Steers. The undersigned having raised the cattle, can sell them less than any one who may have purchased on speculation.

The cattle have been consigned to Mr. Dean of this city, and may be seen by calling on him, or on Mr. Davis who has charge of a part of them, about two miles from the city, at or near Twin Oak Farm, the balance are on the farm of Mr. Ochsmer, North Saanich, who is authorized to sell any or all of them. The undersigned may be seen at Eberhart's Hotel.
ap28 1m JAMES WISE.

To Let!

BRICK HOUSE ON LANGLEY STREET, completely fitted up and furnished for a Hotel, with rooms on the first floor, suited for a Restaurant and Bar.
Apply to MRS. IMMEL LUSH,
m14 1m Metropolitan Lodging House.

A BARGAIN.
Farm with two Farm Houses for Sale

THE FARM IS IN THE SAANICH District and contains about sixty Acres, forty of which are beautiful Prairie of the richest black soil. It has a large Water Frontage on the Saanich Inlet directly opposite Sayward & Co.'s Sawmill. In situation it cannot be surpassed being in the centre of the most thickly settled portion of the District. The Victoria Stage stops within a few minutes' walk.

One of the Houses is a well built and roomy Farm House, well furnished and with Brick Chimney. The other is a substantial Log House. The whole presents a rare opportunity for any intending Settler to obtain at moderate cost a really first class homestead. Title perfect and terms liberal.

For particulars, apply to
E. C. WADDINGTON,
Johnson street,
or to CHARLES FELLOWS,
ap26 tf Land Agent, Government street.

FOR SALE.

THE WHOLE, OR ANY PORTION OF the "REGENT PARK," corner of St. Charles and Fort Street, containing about twenty acres, already improved with trees and ornamental fence. It is, undoubtedly, the most beautifully situated piece of ground for Private Residences to be found in the neighborhood of Victoria—commanding the best scenery of the Island.

Terms—10 years credit, with 6 per cent. interest per annum.

Also—A few small lots on the corner of Pemberton and Fort Streets, on reasonable terms.

Apply to the owner,
CHARLES VEREDHEN,
On the land, or cor. of Fort and Douglas sts.
ap 28 1m2-3 p.

For Sale---At Nanaimo.

ONE-HALF INTEREST OF THE

French Hotel.

Apply to MR. A. PUGOL,
On the premises.
Or to Mr. LEDRIER, Mousquetaire Saloon, Victoria. ap28 1md&w

Desirable Business Lots.

TO LEASE, 180 FEET ON GOVERNMENT, between Johnson and Cormorant streets, well adapted for business purposes of every description. Also, 120 feet on Cormorant, below Government street.
ap26 tf A. DE COSMOS.

TO LOAN—

$10,000.

FOR SALE—

Five Horses.

TO LET—

TWO COTTAGES.

Apply to W. CULVERWELL,
ap25 Yates street.

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, WISHING TO retire from business in Victoria, on account of ill health, offers his SALOON, together with Building, Stock of Liquors, Furniture, Fixtures, fittings-up, Leasehold of Ground for Fifteen Years, at a moderate rent, and good will.

The above offers one of the finest inducements for capitalists, as it is located in one of the most central business locations in the city, and doing a good trade. Terms moderate.

For particulars apply to
T. B. WILLIAMS,
Cor. Broad and Fort streets.
April 23d, 1863. ap24 1m

TO LET!

A HOUSE CONTAINING SIX ROOMS furnished or unfurnished. Apply to MRS. ALLEN, Fort street.
ap21 1m

ROUTES TO CARIBOO.

HURRAH
For Cariboo!!

DOUGLAS
AND
LILLOOET ROUTE

IS BY FAR THE

Shortest and Best

BOTH FOR

MEN AND ANIMALS

TO THE

CARIBOO MINES,

As will be seen at once by the following TABLE of DISTANCES, which have been CHAINED by Government, NOT GUESSED AT, as on the Lytton Mule Trail.

FROM DOUGLAS TO HANCOCK'S	4	Miles.
Thence to Perry's	6	"
" Hensley's	1	"
" Chapais'	3	"
" Gowan's	2	"
" Stein's (Hot Springs)	4	"
" Joice's	4	"
" Williams'	4	"
" Pemberton, over the Lillooet Lakes now connected by Steamers—Fare, $1	20	"
" Half-Way House	12	"
" Anderson Lake	12	"
From Anderson and Seaton Lakes to Port Seaton—Fare, $1 on each Lake	34	"
Thence to Lillooet Flat	3½	"
Whole Distance from Douglas to Lillooet by Land over a Good Wagon Road	55½	"

☞ Remember that Lillooet is 45 Miles above Lytton. ☜

On the Lillooet Lake

Goulding's New and Splendid Steamer

"Prince of Wales"

100 TONS BURTHEN,

Will Make Two Trips per Day,

And is capable of taking on board

The Heaviest Wagons
OR
AN ENTIRE MULE TRAIN!

On Seaton Lake

Taylor & Co. are just Completing a

A SIDE-WHEEL STEAMER, THE

Prince Alfred

110 FEET IN LENGTH,

Capable of Transporting 200 tons of Freight per Day.

ABOVE LILLOOET, the Distances are as follows

From Lillooet to Fountain	8	Miles.
" Fountain to Pavillion	13	"
" Pavillion to Cut Off Valley	14	"
" Cut Off to Clinton	12	"
Total	47	Miles.

Making the Distance from Lillooet to the Junction of the

LILLOOET-ALEXANDRIA WAGON ROAD

WITH THE

LYTTON CITY MULE TRAIL

Only 47 Miles,

While the same point is 92 miles from Lytton, and only 20 miles of the Lytton-Alexandria Wagon Road are Finished in any one place!

From Clinton to Alexandria

Wright's Wagon Road

Will be Completed by the 1st of June,

WHEN A

Regular Line of Stages

WILL RUN

FROM DOUGLAS TO ALEXANDRIA

Connecting there with the New Steamer "ENTERPRISE," which will make

DAILY TRIPS

From thence to Quesnelle River,

Landing Freight and Passengers within

50 Miles of Lightning and Van Winkle Creeks!

☞ We call upon travellers who have Wagons or Animals, especially to

Avoid the Lytton Route!

As the Wagon Road is Unfinished, and will not be passable before the 1st of August.

☞ Do not be deceived by the representations of interested parties who will give you all sorts of false information regarding the Lytton Route, and the various distances, which have never yet been measured.

As a Proof of the Existence of

Good Hotels on the Wagon Road!

Above Lillooet, we give the following list of Houses and their distances from Lillooet.

	MILES.
Lorenzo's	8
Frenchman's	18
Reynolds'	20
Maitley's	22
McBeath's	28
Harkell's	29
Reynolds'	36
Watson's	47
Saul & Co's	60
Calbraith's	70
McMurphy's	74
Walters & Co's	87
Bridge Creek	100
Durgan's	106
Cochrane's	112
Anderson's	116
Felker's	128
Mrs. Jones	146
Davidson's	151
Deep Creek	161
Dunleavy's	184
Alexandria	200

One Hundred Wagons

WILL BE EMPLOYED IN

Transporting Goods on this Route.

By the new arrangements made this year on the Douglas Route,

Passengers Leaving Douglas by Stage

WILL

Reach Lillooet the next Morning.

FROM LILLOOET TO ALEXANDRIA

Will only occupy Four Days,

THENCE ON TO MOUTH OF QUESNELLE

THROUGH TO VAN WINKLE.

Then by all means take the Douglas and Lillooet Route as the Cheapest, Quickest, Safest, most Commodious, and above all, the most High-Toned and

ELEGANT ROUTE TO CARIBOO.

ROUTES TO CARIBOO.

Every Person Should Know

THAT THE

Shortest, Best and Cheapest

ROUTE

TO THE

CARIBOO MINES

IS VIA THE

YALE AND LYTTON

WAGON ROAD!

The chained distances on the Yale and Lytton Road are as follows:

From Yale to Boston Bar	25	Miles
" Boston Bar to Lytton	32¾	"
" Lytton to McLean's	47½	"
" McLean's to the Junction of the Wagon Roads	19	"
Distance from Yale to Junction.	124	Miles

COMPARE THE ABOVE

With the following distances set down by Lillooet Shippers:

From Douglas to Lillooet	110	Miles
" Lillooet to Junction	47	"
Distance from Douglas to Junction	157	Miles

The Junction

Is the point at which the Wagon Roads intersect each other, and where the Cariboo-bound traveller by the Yale-Lytton and Douglas-Lillooet routes MUST meet. It will, therefore, be seen by the above figures that the traveller by YALE and LYTTON has

THIRTY-THREE MILES LESS TRAVEL

Than if he went by the Douglas-Lillooet Route.

☞ **Remember that on this Route there are NO PORTAGES where Goods or Animals may be detained.**

Messrs. DUHIG, LANE, BLACK, and other Carriers of Merchandise, advertise to

Carry Freight from Yale to Lytton

$20 Per Ton Less

Than is or will be charged on the Douglas-Lillooet Route.

THE NEW AND SPLENDID STEAMER

"Reliance"

Connects with the Victoria Steamer

"Enterprise"

And conveys her Freight and Passengers to Yale at greatly reduced Rates.

Shippers

Desirous of getting Freight through to Cariboo this season are advised to

Shun the Douglas-Lillooet Route!!

☞ And are also referred to the testimony adduced in the CRANFORD CASE, wherein witnesses have stated upon oath that 15, 20, or even 30 Days is a reasonable time to convey Freight from Douglas to Lillooet.

Five Days only are Required

To carry Goods from Yale to Lytton, and

Shippers are Assured

That if Freight is carried from Douglas to Lillooet for Two Cents per lb.,

CARRIERS ARE PREPARED TO

FREIGHT FROM YALE TO LYTTON

With Safety and Despatch, for

One Cent Per Lb.!

All those who allow themselves to be crammed by Douglasites this year need expect no sympathy from the public if they get broke in trying to get goods through that route.

☞ Remember the Cranford affair, and steer clear of extortion and delays.

Travel the Yale and Lytton Wagon Road to the Cariboo Mines.

☞ New and Commodious Hotels have been erected at convenient distances along the entire length of the Route, where First Class Accommodations for both man and beast are bestowed at moderate rates.

☞ FOR CHEAPNESS, DESPATCH, EASE and SECURITY choose the Yale and Lytton Route in preference to all others in British Columbia.
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CAUTION.

A ROBBERY OF NOTES OF the Bank of British North America has been committed on my premises, the numbers of which are known to me and for the recovery whereof a Reward has been offered, I therefore warn all persons from taking any such Notes, as I shall take legal proceedings for the protection of my rights.
ap23 L. D. LOWENBERG.

GOOD NEWS FOR EVERY ONE

KNOWLEDGE IS POWER. IF YOU DEsire to preserve your health, a knowledge of the laws for its preservation is essential. If you are ill, and have sought in vain for renewed health, what is the reason? Simply this, a want information on the subject. The civilisation of the present day renders some aid to nature in the preservation and restoration of health indispensably necessary; and the only question is, whence is the required help to be obtained? Undoubtedly, by using

Kaye's Worsdell's Vegetable Restorative Pills.

For the last thirty years the truth has been gaining ground that to purify the blood is the simplest and most natural way of restoring and maintaining health; and the great and distinguishing feature of these celebrated pills is, that they speedily eradicate all disease from the body, *by* purifying the blood; thus good health is at once secured, and all may ensure a sound constitution and complete freedom from pain and disease.

The pamphlet enclosed with each box of the pills gives most interesting particulars of many hundreds of cases of cure, together with instructions for the use of the medicine.

TRY ONE BOX OF

KAYE'S WORSDELL'S PILLS,

AND JUDGE BY THE RESULT.

Prepared solely by JOHN KAYE, Esq., of Prospect Hall, Woodford, Essex.
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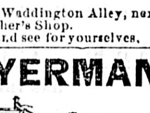

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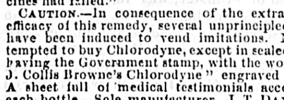

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